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Applicant: Itsuo FUJIWARA et al. Conf.: 5333  
Appl. No.: 09/960,328 Group: Unknown  
Filed: September 24, 2001 Examiner: Unknown  
For: PHOTOTHERMOGRAPHIC MATERIAL

**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING  
PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)**

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

November 8, 2001

Sir:

The application papers for the above-identified application were originally filed on September 24, 2001, and the application was assigned Appl. No. 09/960,328.

A Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application was mailed on October 19, 2001, stating that the statutory basic filing fee is missing. *Applicant must submit \$710 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).*

Applicants submitted the required fee of \$750.00 on September 24, 2001 (\$710.00 for the filing fee and \$40.00 for the recording of the assignment). Attached hereto is a copy of the check, which was

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cashed by the USPTO and the stamped, return receipt postcard indicating the response was received by the U.S.P.T.O.

Accordingly, the required filing fee of \$710.00 requested by the outstanding Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application was provided to the U.S.P.T.O. on September 24, 2001. No fee is required for this response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application.

If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-2448 for any additional fee required under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 or 1.17; particularly, extension of time fees.

Respectfully submitted,

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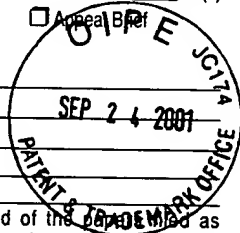
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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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*Filing Date Granted*

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.  
*Applicant must submit \$ 710 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).*
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 840.**

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